

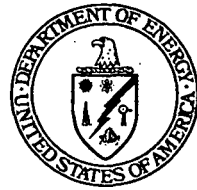


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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

**TRANSMITTAL OF DRAFT CERTIFICATION DESIGN LETTER AND PROJECT SPECIFIC
PLAN FOR AREA 2, PHASE I FORMER INACTIVE FLYASH PILE, SOUTH FIELD, CAROLINA
AREA, EAST-WEST CONSTRUCTION ROAD AND EQUIPMENT WHEEL WASH FACILITY**

The purpose of this letter is to transmit, for your review and approval, the draft Certification Design Letter (CDL) and Project Specific Plan for Area 2, Phase I former Inactive Flyash Pile, South Field, Carolina area, east-west construction road and equipment wheel wash facility. The format of the enclosed CDL and PSP follow the guidelines presented in the Site-wide Excavation Plan.

The major remedial actions completed in these areas include the excavation of the south field and inactive flyash pile, the debris excavation in the Carolina area, and the stabilization and excavation of the Firing Range. Certification sampling is planned to be conducted as area excavations are completed. The majority of the Certification Units (CU) will be sampled and certified beginning in October 2001. The remaining CUs will be sampled and certified after the 2002 excavation season. These CUs are clearly defined in the CDL.

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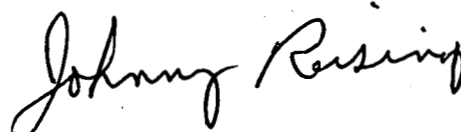
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If you should have any questions or concerns, please contact Robert Janke at (513) 648-3124.

Sincerely,



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